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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 19, 2004

Inventor(s): Liou, Shiann-Ming

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE POWER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND METHOD

☒ Prior Application No. 10/051965 filed January 16, 2002. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

Enclosed are the following items:

- A. ☒ Postcard
- B. ☒ Patent Application Data Entry Format
- C. ☒ Other (specify)
  - ☒ Form PTO 1595
  - ☒ Form PTO 1449
  - ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- D. ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney
  - ☒ executed
- E. ☒ Application Total Pages: 13
- F. ☒ Drawings Total Sheets: 2

☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been filed in the parent of this continuing application. The parent application, filed \_\_\_\_\_, was assigned Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_.

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**Inventor:** Liou, Shiann-Ming

**Group Art Unit:** Not Yet  
Assigned

**Serial No.:** Not Yet Assigned

**Examiner:** Not Yet Assigned

**Filed:** February 19, 2004

**Title:** SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE POWER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND  
METHOD

**REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35  
U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

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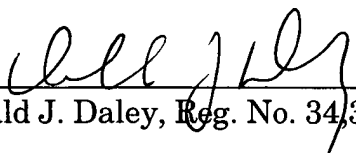
**I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).**

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Respectfully submitted,

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- ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line, the sentence: -- This is a **Divisional** of pending prior application Serial No. 10/051965 filed on January 16, 2002 the contents of which are incorporated herein by reference.—
- ☒ Cancel in this application original claims 1-16 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim is retained for filing.)
- ☐ Applicant(s) presently intend(s) to file additional papers in this case after receiving an official Filing Receipt. Should the Examiner take this case up for action before receiving such papers, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner contact the attorneys for the applicant(s) at the telephone number shown below.
- ☐ A petition, fee and response has been filed, or a conditional petition is now being filed, in the prior application to extend the term of the pending prior application. Enclosed is a petition for extension of time in the prior application.

## CLAIMS AS FILED (OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY)

CLAIMS	(1) For	(2) Number Filed	(3) Number Extra	(4) Rate	(5) Calculations
	Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	8 - 20 =	0	x \$18=	\$ 0.00
	Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	1 - 3 =	0	x \$86=	\$ 0.00
	Multiple Dependent Claims (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$ 290 =	\$ 0.00
	Provisional Application Filing Fee = (37 CFR 1.16(k))				\$
	Basic Fee = (37 CFR 1.16(a))				\$770.00
	TOTAL =				\$ 770.00

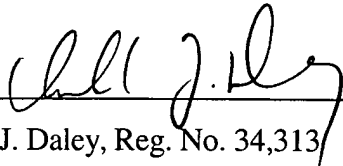
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe(s) that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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- ☒ **Request Not To Publish (SB35)**

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**FEE TRANSMITTAL  
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Application Number	NEW
Filing Date	February 19, 2004
Inventor(s)	Liou, Shiann-Ming
Examiner Name	Unknown
Group Art Unit	Unknown
Attorney Docket No.	MP0116.D1

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- Charge Any Additional Fee Required
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- Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
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- Applicant claims small entity status.
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- See 37 CFR 1.27

- 2.
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- Payment Enclosed:

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Order ☐ Other**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	770.00
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

**SUBTOTAL (1)**

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**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
8	-20 **	0	18
Independent Claims	1	-3 **	0
Multiple Dependent			290

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**SUBTOTAL (2)**

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**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1053	1053	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

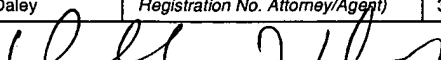
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